

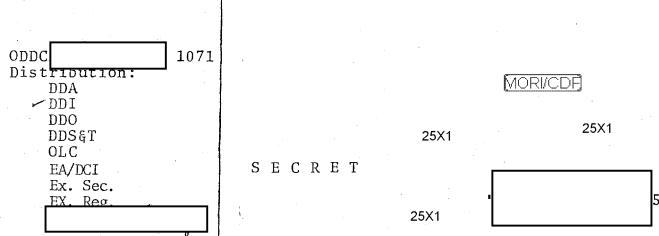


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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Background Reading for Ambassador Bush

- 1. The first increment of background reading material for Ambassador Bush is transmitted herewith.
- 2. The transcripts of closed session confirmation hearings, which are the xeroxed copies, should all be treated as classified material. Some of these papers bear classification stamps of SECRET and TOP SECRET and others do not. All of these transcripts are the property of the Senate Armed Services Committee and must be returned by classified pouch when you are finished with them. This material should be used and stored in secure areas and should be shown only to Ambassador Bush.



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MATERIAL FOR POUCH TO PEKING

- 1. Guide to CIA Statutes and Law.
- 2. Published texts of Open Session Confirmation Hearings of Senate Armed Services Committee on:
 - a) Admiral Raborn, 22 April 1965
 - b) Richard Helms, 23 June 1966
 - c) James R. Schlesinger, 18 January 1973
 - d) William E. Colby, 2, 20 and 25 July 1973.
- 3. Transcripts of Executive Session Hearings of Senate Armed Services Committee on nominations of:
 - a) John A. McCone, 18 January 1962
 - b) Richard Helms, 23 June 1966
 - c) James R. Schlesinger, 12 January 1973 (SECRET)
 - d) William E. Colby on
 - 1) 2 July 1973
 - 2) 20 July 1973
 - 3) 25 July 1973. (TOP SECRET)